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## No Watch/Warning in effect

## Tsunami message from WCATWC

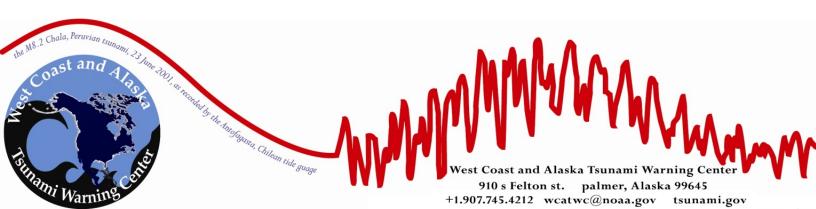
To: U.S. West Coast, Alaska, and British Columbia coastal regions From: NOAA/NWS/West Coast and Alaska Tsunami Warning Center

Subject: Tsunami Information Statement #1 issued 02/17/2010 at 5:22PM PST

A strong earthquake has occurred, but a tsunami **IS NOT** expected along the California, Oregon, Washington, British Columbia, or Alaska coast. **NO** tsunami warning, watch or advisory is in effect for these areas.

Based on the depth of the earthquake within the earth, a tsunami **IS NOT** expected along the California, Oregon, Washington, British Columbia, and Alaska coasts.

At 5:13 PM Pacific Standard Time on February 17, an earthquake with preliminary magnitude 6.8



occurred in the eastern Russia-northeast China border region at 539km depth. (Refer to the United States Geological Survey for official earthquake parameters.)

The Pacific Tsunami Warning Center in Ewa Beach, Hawaii will issue messages for Hawaii and other areas of the Pacific outside California, Oregon, Washington, British Columbia, and Alaska.

This will be the only statement issued for this event by the West Coast/Alaska Tsunami Warning Center unless conditions warrant. See the WCATWC web site for basic tsunami information, safety rules, and a tsunami travel time map and table. (**NOTE:** Travel time maps and tables indicate forecasted times only, not that a wave was generated.)

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